

**293374 to 293384.**

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**293374. AGAVE cf. AMERICANA L. Amaryllidaceae.**

Col. No. 20416. Local name: Maguey Pinto. Las Vigas, Veracruz. Elevation 7,500 feet. Plant large, variable, glaucous. Cultivated as a pulque maguey.

**293375. AGAVE cf. ANGUSTIFOLIA Haworth**

Col. No. 20449. Alluvial arroyo bank, along road to Tehuacan, 28 miles northeast of Huajuapán, Oaxaca. Plant large, in wild.

**293376 and 293377. AGAVE cf. APPLANATA Lem.**

**293376.** Col. No. 20415. Lava beds, Limon, Veracruz. Elevation 7,800 feet. Rosette single, compact, light green to glaucous, suckering widely when young; leaves rigid, lengthening at maturity; teeth variable. Seedlings abundant. Fiber used for rope and brushes.

**293377.** Col. No. 20420. Local name: Maguey de Ixtle. Magueyitos, Veracruz. Elevation 8,000 feet. Rosettes glaucous white, medium sized; leaves linear, to 3 feet long; panicle to 12 feet high with about 28 laterals; flowers yellow; ovaries green. Cultivated for fiber.

**293378. AGAVE cf. ATROVIRENS Karw.**

Col. No. 20408. Volcanic rock and ash 1.25 miles from the Puebla-Jalapa highway, road to Guadalupe, Victoria, Puebla. Elevation 8,000 feet. Rosettes large green, widely suckering; leaves strictly ascending; tips outflexed.

**293379. AGAVE LOPHANTHA Schiede**

**Crested agave.**

Col. No. 20410. Local name: Magueyito. Malpais, La Concepcion, southeast of Naulinco, Veracruz. Elevation 3,300 feet. Rosettes small, on short trunks, green, radiate; leaves straight, plane, some with center pale stripes. In wild, population small.

**293380. AGAVE MAPISAGA Trel.**

Col. No. 20387. Sierra Mazateca. Large maguey; leaves long, acuminate. In wild and cultivated.

**293381 and 293382. AGAVE OBSCURA Schiede**

**293381.** Col. No. 20407. Volcanic gravel outwash, 2 miles southeast of the Puebla-Jalapa Hwy., road to Guadalupe, Victoria, Puebla. Elevation 8,000 feet. Rosettes single, many leaved, compact, rarely suckering; leaves green, slightly incurving. Population small, scattered.

**293382.** Col. No. 20417. Local name: Lechuguilla. Lava bed 4.5 miles north of Limon, Veracruz. Elevation 7,800 feet. Plant compact, light green, many leaved, single rosette, rarely suckering; leaves nearly straight; teeth varying; spike thick at base, tapering; ovaries red; tepals purple with yellow-green margins inside; anthers reddish-bronze.

**293383. AGAVE XALAPENSIS Roezl.**

Col. No. 20412. In wild, Malpais, below Jilotepec, road to Naulingo, Veracruz. Elevation 4,500 feet. Plant terrestrial and epiphytic on other plants; rosette single, caespitose, green; leaves few, spreading, somewhat glaucous, elongate in partial shade; polycarpic.

**293384. AGAVE sp.**

Col. No. 20446. Along road to Tehuacan, 17 miles northeast of Huajuapán, Oaxaca. Rosettes medium sized, glaucous, suckering; leaves spatulate to lanceolate, outcurving; teeth long cuspid, proximal.